

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Medical & Health Services - Allegations of irregularities against Dr. Y.R.K. Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer, East Godavari District (Retired) - Disciplinary action - Show cause notices issued - Explanation received - Imposition of punishment 5% cut in pension permanently - Orders - Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.II.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 11

Dated: 16-01-2009.

Read the following:

- 1) Orders of the Hon'ble Upa-Lokayukta dt.23.11.2004 in complaint No.532/2003/B2.
- 2) Govt. Memo.No.25655/VC.II.2/2004-1, dt.06-10-2007.
- 3) Explanation of Dr. Y.R.K.Chowdary, DM&HO (Retd), E.G.Dist, dated 13-03-2008.
- 4) Govt. Memo.No.25655/VC.II.2/2004-3,dt.03-04-2008.
- 5) From the DH, A.P., Lr.Rc.No.6173/VC.IIB/05, dt.13-06-2008.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, a complaint was filed before the A.P. Lokayukta and Upa-Lokayukta against Dr. Y.R.K. Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer, Kakinada, East Godavari District (now retired) alleging several allegations. In view of the serious nature of the allegations, after registering a complaint, the matter was referred to the Director (Investigation) of the institution for discreet probe and submitting report. The Investigation Officer has submitted his report. In view of the above, the Hon'ble Lokayukta and Upa-Lokayukta directed the Government to take suitable action against the above individual on the allegations No.2 and 4.

2. And whereas, the Government after carefully examining the Investigation Officer's report under the G.O.Ms.No.350, General Administration (Services.C) Department, dt.8-08-2002, an amendment was issued to Rule 27 of A.P. Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, have taken a provisional decision for imposing of 75% cut in pension permanently against Dr. Y.R.K. Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer, who was retired from the service. Since the proposed punishment is a major one, as such a show cause notice was issued to the delinquent officer to submit his explanation under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, vide reference 2nd read above. The delinquent officer has submitted his explanation vide reference 3rd read above. Government after careful examination of the explanation of Dr. Y.R.K. Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer (Retired), East Godavari District, with the available records and it is observed that there was no financial allegations, but it is evident that, he was not properly guided by the staff of his office and they should also be made accountable. There is no malafide intention, However there is administrative lapse.

(P.T.O.)

3. The Government after examine above, have revised the provisional decision and decided to impose a punishment of 5% (five percent) cut in pension permanently on Dr. Y.R.K.Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer (Retired), East Godavari District, under rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension rules, 1980. Accordingly obtained the concurrence of Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission in this regard.

4. Now, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred under rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, Government hereby impose the penalty of a punishment of 5% (five percent) cut in pension permanently on Dr. Y.R.K. Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer (Retired), East Godavari District.

5. The Director of Health, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad shall take further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**DR. VIJAY KUMAR
EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Dr. Y.R.K.Chowdary, District Medical & Health Officer (Retired), East Godavari District, **through** the Director of Health, A.P. Hyderabad.
The Director of Health, A.P. Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Accountant General, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Registrar, Institute of A.P. Lok Ayukta and Upa-Lok Ayukta,
(with reference to Lr.Dis.No.532/03/B2/9017/2004, dated 29-11-2004)

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad
(w.r.t. Ir.No.1473/RT-I/2/2003, dt.19-12-2008).

The District Medical & Health Officer, East Godavari District.

The Health, Medical & Family Welfare (B) Department.

P.S. to Minister (H&FW).

P.S. to Ex-Officio Secretary to Government.

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SECTION OFFICER